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## AN EXTRA SESSION.

"Reliable" Information that Cleveland is in Favor of One.

## BUT NOT BEFORE NEXT FALL.

Unless the Treasury is Found to be in Need of Money. In that Event the New President Will Act Promptly. If the Congressional Committee Finds Need of Increased Revenues, an Extra Session Will Be Necessary to Increase the Whisky Tax—Other Washington News.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 2.—The recent conference between the President-elect and Speaker Crisp was expected to result in some authorized announcement on the subject of an extra session. While these anticipations have not been realized as Speaker Crisp has studiously refrained from giving out any statement as to what passed between Mr. Cleveland and himself, something in the nature of a statement on "good authority" is being passed around among the Democratic leaders. While no final decision will be made on the question of an extra session of Congress until February, by which time the cabinet of the President-elect Cleveland will probably have been selected, the probabilities are decidedly against an extra session before next autumn.

Mr. Cleveland, it is stated, has said to Democratic leaders in Congress that he will call Congress together in special session. He also told them it is reported that it would not be convoked before autumn unless the financial situation and the condition of the treasury made it absolutely imperative that Congress should meet in the spring to provide the government with necessary amount of revenue to meet its expenses. He wished to avoid the necessity of an extra session.

Very soon after the holiday recess the subcommittee of the house committee on ways and means appointed to investigate the condition of the treasury will begin its work. On the result of its investigation may possibly depend the time at which Congress is to be called together. A conclusion on part of the majority of the subcommittee that there will be an actual deficit in the treasury unless additional revenue is raised might induce Mr. Cleveland, it is thought, to alter his views with reference to an extra session in the spring, but no other consideration that will bring about such a result is now foreseen.

It is the opinion of some of the leading Democrats in the house that the investigation will show that the treasury receipts and expenditures are very large at present and that there is a good reason to bear an excess of the latter in the coming fiscal year. By the end of this month the subcommittee's work of investigation will either be concluded as far as enough in progress to permit the Democratic members to acquit Mr. Cleveland with the situation and their conclusions as to the future of an extra session may be based on full information as to the treasury conditions which will confront his administration the first year or year and a half of its existence.

It is because of the possibility of a close approximation between revenues and expenditures that some serious attention is being paid by Democratic members to the proposition to increase the whisky tax.

This would be an easy method of raising additional money, and Mr. Springer and his associates will take it under advisement if the result of their investigation discloses a call for more revenue.

## A QUIET NEW YEAR'S.

The First Time in History the Official Receptions Were Omitted—Suspended Out of Respect to Mrs. Harrison's Memory.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—To-day was the quietest New Year's Washington has experienced within living memory. Not even the pleasant sunny weather which followed yesterday's rainstorm could enliven the prevailing dullness.

The white house was not only a house of mourning, but was quarantined by reason of infectious fever. Consequently there could have been no presidential reception had not domestic bereavement prohibited it.

Cabinet officers and leading officials of the government, of course, followed the example of the chief executive, and the entire omission of official receptions deprived the day of all the life and color which the brilliant uniforms of the diplomatic corps and the officers of the army and navy usually give to the occasion.

Speaker Crisp being sick, though not seriously so, Mrs. Crisp did not receive.

At nearly all the leading hotels the custom which has been observed for many years by the lady guests, holding a reception in the parlors, was this year omitted. Very few private residences kept open house. With all the departments and places of business closed there was scarcely anything except the open bar rooms and restaurants and the closed churches to distinguish the day from one of the dullest of Washington dull Sundays.

## THE ELEVENTH CENSUS.

What is Needed to Complete the Work. The Cause of the Increase.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 2.—All work on the eleventh census will be completed and the matter turned over to the secretary of the interior by the first of December, 1893. This will be required by the appropriation bill now being framed by a house subcommittee, of which Mr. Sayres, of Texas, is chairman. The tenth census cost, in round numbers, about \$5,000,000, and the present will cost about \$3,100,000, the increase being largely due to the enlarged scope of the census.

Up to the date the cost of the census has been \$7,800,000, and Mr. Porter was before the committee to-day to urge the passage of the bill appropriating \$340,000 to carry him from the fourth of March to the end of the fiscal year.

Mr. Porter was called upon by the committee to show why it was that the

## SENATOR KENNA DYING.

The Family Prepared For the Worst—His Condition Reaches the Critical Stage.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 2.—Senator Kenna, of West Virginia, who has been seriously ill for several weeks from a combination of diseases, but who has recently been considered out of danger, had a relapse yesterday and his family believed that he would not survive the night. This morning he was slightly better, but not sufficiently to allay fears, and the gravest apprehensions are felt.

Dr. Sowers, Senator Kenna's physician, when asked this evening as to Senator Kenna's condition, said that when he called on him at 4 p. m. he was very ill. He did not, however, apprehend that he would die to-night. Senator Kenna's disease is that of the heart, from which he has been suffering for upwards of two years. The family of the stricken senator are prepared for the worst, which may come at any time.

## MR. BLAINE NOT SO WELL.

But Nothing in His Condition to Excite Alarm.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 2.—"Mr. Blaine is not as well as he was yesterday," said Mr. Johnston about 8:30 this evening. "Mr. Blaine is about the same." This was what the attendant at Mr. Blaine's residence said. The hour was 9 o'clock p. m.

"Mr. Blaine," Dr. Johnston said, "has not, however, suffered a relapse, such as that which occurred fifteen days ago. Mr. Blaine is simply not as well as he was Sunday. Yesterday he was feeling very hopeful. Mr. Blaine has his good and his bad days like most other invalids. There is nothing in his present condition to excite alarm and I do not expect to see him again to-night."

There was a rumor on the street this evening that Mr. Blaine had suffered a relapse, but later intelligence had a reassuring effect and it is not thought that anything serious threatens him to-night.

## CANADIAN OBJECTION.

To the American Way of Doing Things. A Rumor From Washington Concerned On.

TORONTO, ONT., Jan. 2.—A dispatch dated Washington received here last Saturday states in effect that President Harrison has determined to make the end of his administration notable by a blow at Canada in the shape of a presidential proclamation curtailing or abolishing the privileges now enjoyed by Canadian railways of transporting goods through the United States in bond. It has excited considerable comment here.

The Globe, in dealing with the matter, says: "If there is a substantial ground for complaint against Canadian roads it consists not in the amount of their earnings nor in the vastness of their subsidies, but in fact, if it be a fact, that in regard to American traffic Canadian companies are not complying with the inter-state commerce law. They have declared expressly that they regard themselves as bound by that law and are ready to obey it. If, notwithstanding that avowal they are disregarding or evading it, there is surely some more business like and different way of dealing with the question than these everlasting scoldings and dark hints of blows at Canada. If the law is not properly enforced let American authorities charged with its enforcement do their duty. If an amendment is required, as the inter-state commerce commissioners say, why does not Congress make it? If it is alleged that difficulty of enforcement arises from the treaty of Washington or from Canadian railway law why is that not matter brought before the notice of Canada in a clear, regular and courteous communication?"

## JR. O. U. A. M.

The Legislative Committee Arranging For the Anti-Immigration Crusade.

PITTSBURGH, PA., Jan. 2.—The national legislative committee of the Junior Order of American Mechanics met here to-day and took the initiative step in an aggressive crusade that is to be inaugurated against foreign immigration.

O. H. Dally, of Philadelphia, representing the American Defense Association, and M. M. Fortune, of the Fraternal Board of American Patriots, of Cleveland, attended the meeting for the purpose advocating co-operation in the movement, but the members of the Junior Order were disposed at this time not to endorse the plan of any other organizations.

Among those present were National Councilman James Cranston, of Pennsylvania; Vice-Councilor H. A. Kibbe, of New Jersey; Secretary E. S. Deemer, of Philadelphia, and representatives from the state board of Michigan, Missouri, New York, Ohio, West Virginia and Wisconsin.

The proceedings were conducted with the utmost secrecy, but it was learned after the meeting to-night that only preliminary steps were taken at the meeting. A number of committees were appointed and all business referred to them.

National Councilman Cranston stated to-night that he was greatly pleased with the day's work. He was satisfied that something practical would result from the creation of the committee.

## GREAT YEARNING.

Highest Price Ever Paid for a Suckling Bird Colt.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—A special from Lexington says that the Kendall stable has secured from the California breeder, Theodore Winter, the refusal of a sucking young colt, full brother to the flying filly Yo Tambo, at the reputed price of \$45,000, the transfer to take place in the colt's yearling form.

The sum named is not only greater than any yearling has yet sold for in America, but as well tops the world's best record in this respect. The colt is said to be nearly a counterpart of his sensational sister.

## A SOCIETY SCANDAL.

In St. Louis Culminates in a Terrible Street Tragedy.

## H. MORGAN SHOTS WM. BARRETT.

His Brother-in-Law—The Denouement of a Romance—The Story of an Elopement, Married Misery, Separation, Abduction of a Child and a Street Duel—The Murderer the Son of Garfield's Minister to Mexico, The Cause of the Shooting—The Wife Occupies a Box Seat to Witness Her Husband's Arrest.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 2.—A little after 8 o'clock this evening Harry H. Morgan, of the La Clede Gas Light Company, high in society, shot and so badly wounded his brother-in-law William Barrett that it cannot be now told whether he will live or die. And now society is furnished with the culmination of a scandal which has been nearing the surface rapidly for the past two weeks.

The parties concerned are among the most prominent society people in the city. Morgan is a son of Judge Morgan, of New York, who was United States minister to Mexico, under Garfield, the son being secretary of the legation. Young Morgan after the close of Garfield's administration traveled about the country and finally located in this city. Young Morgan became acquainted with Barrett's sister and in a short time became engaged. The parents would not consent to their marriage but the young couple, nothing daunted, waived parental consent, stole off and were married. For a number of years they lived happily together until coldness arose between them, she charging him with subjecting her to indignities and cruelty, he in turn charging her with receiving the attentions of others and threatening divorce, naming five prominent members of society as co-respondents. A truce was patched up and they agreed to separate, she taking the only child with her.

One day in November last Morgan drove up to her residence in a carriage and coaxed the little girl to enter the carriage and drive away.

The husband secured tickets for New York and on returning to St. Louis informed his wife he had sent the child to Paris.

Mrs. Morgan then placed the case in the hands of Attorney Edmund A. B. Garesch. Saturday night a warrant was secured for abandonment and another for abduction. In the meantime Morgan had rented a room in the Lucas building on Eighth and Chestnut streets. It so happened that the window of Morgan's room is directly opposite Attorney Garesch's office. Mrs. Morgan took advantage of this fact to witness her husband's arrest. She came down yesterday morning in company with Mr. Garesch and concealed herself in the window of her attorney's office and watched across the street the detective, deputy sheriff and Barrett, Mrs. Morgan's brother-in-law, approach the sleeping man's room, for Morgan lay abed late. By peeping through the keyhole Barrett recognized the sleeper. "Rat-tat-tat" on the door and a moment later Morgan was under arrest.

A writ of habeas corpus was also served upon Morgan, requiring him to produce the child in court before Judge Valliant. He was released on bond, with J. C. Calhoun as security. Twenty-four hours and nothing developed.

To-night on Easton avenue Barrett and Morgan met. The natural result followed. There were words, hot and angry. Morgan drew a pistol and fired. Barrett fell wounded, as already told. A moment more and the police had Morgan under arrest. He is now in the city prison.

Mrs. Morgan will institute suit for divorce tomorrow. Desertion, neglect, cruelty and indignities will be the grounds for the action. Suit for possession of the child will also be brought in connection with the habeas corpus proceedings. It is expected that the sensational allegations made by her husband will then take the form of a cross-bill.

## HAGGERTY'S CHALLENGE.

He Offers to Swim Any Man in America for a Parse.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 1.—Jack Haggerty, the champion short distance swimmer of England, denies the published statement that he has been matched to swim James McCusker, the American champion, of the natatorium, Pittsburgh, Pa., stating that he had been matched with Haggerty for \$1,000 a side for a series of races at distances from one hundred yards to one mile. McCusker offered to have the races at the natatorium provided the contestants got \$500 and expenses.

As far as Haggerty is concerned the story is untrue, as he never saw McCusker and, what is more, never proposed to be a long distance swimmer.

Haggerty issued the following challenge: He will swim any man in America a series of three races, one hundred yards, two hundred yards, and three hundred yards, for \$1,000 a side, the winner of two of the events to be declared the winner. Any man caring to make a match with Haggerty can do so by communicating with Captain A. W. Cooke, of Boston.

Haggerty Denies It.

Boston, Jan. 2.—Dick Burge, through his backers, has issued a denial of the charges made against him and which purported to emanate from George McDonald. Burge says the statements are false, even to the minutest details. He courts the fullest inquiry and calls for the publication of all letters said to have come from him.

## The Cold Wave at Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, PA., Jan. 2.—The predicted cold wave reached here this morning and prevented a break up in the rivers. The ice is still solid at all river points and no danger is apprehended unless the temperature rises.

## PAPER WRECK BURNED.

BIRMINGHAM, N. Y., Jan. 2.—The works of the Bayless Paper Company were burned yesterday. Loss \$300,000; insurance \$300,000.

## THE LEGISLATURE.

Prospects of a Lively Time—Mr. Camden's Candidacy—An Important Bill.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Jan. 2.—It was the general opinion that the coming session of the legislature would be an uneventful one, but the developments of the last few days have changed general opinion somewhat. The political van guard has not yet arrived, but Senator C. J. Faulkner was here and has gone. It was generally believed he would have a walk over, but now it seems that ex-Senator Johnson N. Camden is in the ring and if he is the fun will be fast and furious. There may be another deadlock. Much important legislation is talked of, among the most important being a bill providing for the execution of sentences of capital punishment at the state penitentiary instead of the county where the crime was committed.

Clouston in the Pen.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Jan. 2.—To-day at noon Capt. J. R. Mehen, took charge of ex-Deputy Circuit Clerk E. W. Clouston, boarded the northbound Ohio River train and left with him for the penitentiary at Moundsville, where Clouston will serve a two years' sentence for issuing false witness certificates and obtaining money thereon. It took the state over two years to convict Clouston, but he got it at last and is now in the pen. Much sympathy is expressed for his young wife and his parents, who are all worthy people. It is thought Clouston will be given an easy berth at the pen and that all other indictments will be quashed.

## ALMOST A PANIC.

An Insane Man with a Club Tries to Get at a Priest.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 2.—An insane man caused a scene in the Roman Catholic church of St. Thomas Aquinas yesterday morning at mass, during which a number of women fainted. A stampede for the doors, which would probably have resulted in serious bodily injury and perhaps loss of life, was avoided by the courage and presence of mind of the rector, Rev. J. M. Lawler against whom the intruder's efforts were alone directed.

Father Lawler was on the altar making the regular meeting announcements to the people when James Quinlon, who had worked his way unnoticed up the center aisle, reached the sanctuary rail and was in the act of climbing over it when the priest, in tones which brought the members of the congregation to their feet, cried: "What is the matter with you?"

The inquiry was addressed to the man, and those nearest the altar said that he raised above his head, as the priest spoke, a club wrapped in paper. It appeared that he was about to hurl the package at the pastor who was not more than five feet distant. Many of the children began to scream, and in less than 30 seconds nearly every person in the church was standing on the seats. Father Lawler retained his presence of mind, and as Quinlon hesitated, four male members of the congregation sprang upon him and he was drawn away, struggling all the while.

At this time the excitement among the congregation reached a climax. It went from mouth to mouth that the object in the hands of the stranger was a hatchet, and even after all apparent danger to the priest had passed the effect of reaction among the women present caused a number to swoon. Father Lawler instructed the choir to sing, and while there was an attempt being made in that direction by the frightened members, the priest left the altar and followed the stranger and his captors outside the church.

## THE PANAMA SCANDAL.

Loubet's Severe Criticism of the Members of the Chamber.

MARSEILLES, Jan. 2.—The Petit Marseillais publishes an interview with M. Loubet as to the attitude of the chamber toward the Panama canal scandal. M. Loubet says that the chamber rushed headlong, without consideration or preparation, into the Panama inquiry. The deputies seemed suddenly to have lost their senses and they outdid each other in overzealousness and reckless accusation. Doubtless the scandal was bad enough, but the bad judgment of the chamber had fostered erroneous conceptions among the people of its magnitude. Such an excessive outburst of prudery must have a reaction and thus defeat many of its own ends.

The most extravagant hopes had been raised among the disloyal parties by the recklessness shown in chamber and the whole fabric of Republican institutions in France had been endangered. Unless great care and tact were exercised constantly in the next few weeks the men who had behaved so fanatically might have startling proofs of the grove into which they had fallen and caused others to fall. Every effort must be made to wind up the whole Panama affair before next March in order that arrangements in connection with the state department might be strictly followed.

## SAWYER WILL CASE.

The Jury Decides Against the Contesting Relatives.

SALFORD, MASS., Jan. 2.—The jury in the Sawyer will case returned late this afternoon with a verdict sustaining the will. Samuel E. Sawyer, of Gloucester, left an estate of some \$850,000, of which \$500,000 or more was bequeathed to charitable institutions. A few relatives received small bequests, but most of the nearer ones received nothing, and they contested the will on the ground that Sawyer was of unsound mind when the will was made; also that he was unduly influenced. The case goes up on exceptions by General Butler.

## Collieries to Resume Work.

WILKESBARR, PA., Jan. 2.—The Lehigh and Wilkesbarre coal company issued orders to-day to start up their three collieries at Pottsville, known as the Nottingham, Washington and Lance No. 11, on Wednesday morning next. The Nottingham colliery, which was flooded out about two months ago through a disastrous cave-in, is expected to resume in about one-half the capacity. The miners, laborers and slate pickers, over 4,000 in number, are in high glee to-night over the prospects of good work in the future at these collieries.

## FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

More Moonlight Outrages in County Clare, Ireland.

## A RIOTOUS NEW YEAR'S GATHERING.

Of Parnellites Attack the Rival Faction and a Reign of Terror Ensues. Loubet's Criticism of the Alleged Recklessness of the French Chamber of Deputies in the Panama Affair—Disaster to the Republic, He Thinks, May Result.

DUBLIN, Jan. 2.—Another outrage by moonlighters is reported from Tullap, a small town in County Clare. On Saturday night a band of moonlighters who had a grudge against a man employed as a servant by the family of the late Judge Brown visited the residence of the Browns, which is situated a short distance from the town. One of the band, who was in disguise, entered the house and demanded to know the whereabouts of a man servant. The man was absent and the only occupants of the house were the daughters of the deceased magistrate. They informed the moonlighter that the man he was looking for was not in the house. This information seemed to enrage the moonlighter, who drew a revolver and fired upon one of the girls. Fortunately his aim was bad and the bullet went wide of its mark. He then amused himself by firing at random about the room until his weapon was empty, when he withdrew and joined the gang that was awaiting him outside. When they learned that the man they wanted was not in the house, the moonlighters withdrew without making any further trouble.

A party of Parnellites at Killrush, who were celebrating the New Year last night, determined to wreak vengeance on their political enemies, the anti-Parnellites. They marched in a body to the rooms occupied by the Workmen's Club and made an attack with stones upon the building, smashing all the windows and doing other damage. The mob gained accessions while this attack was going on, and when a proposal was made to attack Temperance hall it was received with shouts of approval. In a short time the latter building was in as bad a state of wreck as the Workmen's Club. The police were absent and the rioters had everything their own way. Gaining courage from the fact that no opposition was offered to their rowdiness, the mob attacked the residence of the town commissioners who are supporters of Mr. Timothy Healy and the houses of other men who have been active opponents of the Parnellites.

Considerable damage was done and the women in the houses were terribly frightened by the rioters, who threatened all manner of evil to them. Towards morning the mob dispersed and the town, which had been in an uproar for hours, became quiet. Many of those who took part in the rioting were known to those whose houses were attacked and to-day a large number of the rioters were arrested.

## GUELPH FUND SCANDAL.

Bismarck Burned the Receipts of Money, Gives France a Chance to Grow.

BESLIN, Jan. 2.—The attempts of several newspapers to smother in ridicule the Guelph fund scandal have not succeeded.

Although withholding for obvious reasons the names of the recipients of the bribes, the *Vorwaerts* indicates their occupations and politics with exactness. Ten of the men who were beneficiaries of the fund, it says, were high officials of the empire. Eight generals, three were judges, eleven were journalists and twenty-five were members of the reichstag. The deputies in question were mostly national Liberals and Conservatives and received sums varying between \$1,500 and \$2,700 each. The *Vossische Zeitung* speaks in sympathy with public opinion when it says: "It is impossible to pass this matter in silence. The Social Democrats have other weapons of the same sort in reserve. France will exult that Germany too has her Panama scandal." There is no doubt that Prince Bismarck had the receipts for money from the Guelph fund burned every year after he had submitted the report of the expenditures to the emperor. The whole matter probably will lie over until the reichstag reassembles, when the Social Democrats will bring it up by means of a resolution or interpellation.

## Mr. Gladstone to His Friends.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Mr. Gladstone has sent out a card expressing his gratitude to his friends throughout the world who sent him congratulatory letters and telegrams on his birthday. He regrets, he says, that the largeness of the number of these friends renders it impossible for him to acknowledge the kindness of each through individual letters.

## The Queen Not Toned.

LIMERIC, Jan. 2.—The mayor of the city gave a banquet this evening to Parnellite and anti-Parnellite priests. The principal toast of the evening was "Ireland, a nation." All the customary toasts to the queen, etc., were omitted.

## Snow in England.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—A severe snow storm is prevailing to-day in the southern counties of England and in Wales.

## Steamship Arrivals.

Boston, Jan. 2.—Arrived, Boston City, London.

New York, Jan. 2.—Arrived, Italia, Steffen.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The Red Star steamship Noordland, recently towed into Queenstown by the steamship Ohio, started to-day with two tons for Antwerp, where her broken shaft will be repaired.

## Weather Forecast for Tuesday.

For West Virginia and Western Pennsylvania and Ohio: A heavy snow storm, with gusty winds, colder weather with a becoming variable.

## TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY.

As furnished by F. SCHWYER, druggist, corner Market and Fourteenth streets.